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Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior listings of claims in the application.

Listing Of Claims:

Claim 33. (Currently Amended) A control method of controlling to adjust a parameter of a camera apparatus in accordance with image signals from a detection area [[in]] within an image sensed by said camera apparatus, comprising;

detecting obtaining a specification type of the camera apparatus connected to a camera control apparatus; and

controlling to superimpose a frame indicating the detection area on an image sensed by the camera apparatus in accordance with the specification by obtaining detection area information corresponding to the type of the connected camera apparatus by referring to from a storage device which stores information about each specification of a plurality a plurality of camera apparatus types and plural pieces of detection [[areas]] area information in relation to each other.

Claim 34. (Original) The control method according to claim 33, further comprising outputting a command to shift the detection area and the position of the frame corresponding to the shifted detection area in response to user instructions.

Claim 35. (Original) The control method according to claim 33, further comprising displaying the image in which the frame is superimposed on the sensed image on display.

Claim 36. (Original) The control method according to claim 33, wherein the parameter is used for automatically adjusting at least one of a focal point and an exposure, based on the image signal of the detection area.

Claim 37. (Currently Amended) The control method according to claim 33, wherein said controlling to superimpose a frame is executed in [[a]] the camera control apparatus which has the storage device, and the camera control apparatus is connected to the camera apparatus, via predetermined communication medium.

Claim 38. (Currently Amended) A computer program product comprising a computer usable medium having computer readable program codes for controlling the processor to carry out a control method of controlling to adjust a parameter of a camera apparatus in accordance with a detection area in an image sensed by said camera apparatus, said program codes comprising A computer readable medium having stored thereon a computer program comprising a set of instructions when executed by a computer to implement a method for controlling to adjust a parameter of a camera apparatus in accordance with image signals from a detection area within an image sensed by the camera apparatus, the method comprising the steps of:

codes for detecting obtaining a specification type of the camera apparatus connected to a camera control apparatus; and

codes for controlling to superimpose a frame indicating the detection area on an image sensed by the camera apparatus in accordance with the specification by obtaining detection area information corresponding to the type of the connected camera apparatus by referring to from a storage device which stores information about each specification of a plurality a plurality of camera apparatus types and plural pieces of detection [[areas]] area information in relation to each other.

Claim 39. (Currently Amended) The computer program product readable medium according to claim 38, further comprising codes for outputting a command to shift the detection area and

the position of the frame corresponding to the shifted detection area in response to user instructions.

Claim 40. (Currently Amended) The computer ~~program product~~ readable medium according to claim 38, further comprising codes for displaying the image in which the frame is superimposed on the sensed image on a display.

Claim 41. (Currently Amended) The computer ~~program product~~ readable medium according to claim 38, wherein the parameter is used for automatically adjusting at least one of focal point and exposure, based on the image signal of the detection area.

Claim 42. (Currently Amended) The computer ~~program product~~ readable medium according to claim 38, wherein said code for controlling the superimpose a frame is executed in [[a]] the camera control apparatus which has the storage device, and the camera control apparatus is connected to the camera apparatus, via predetermined communication medium.

Claim 43. (Currently Amended) A camera control apparatus for controlling to adjust a parameter of a camera apparatus in accordance with image signals of a detection area [[in]] within an image sensed by said camera apparatus comprising:

a communicating device for detecting obtaining a specification type of said camera apparatus connected to said camera control apparatus; and

a superimposing device for superimposing a frame indicating the detection area on an image sensed by said camera apparatus in accordance with the specification by obtaining detection area information corresponding to the type of the connected camera apparatus by referring to from a storage device which stores information about each specification of a plurality

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a plurality of camera apparatus types and plural pieces of detection [[areas]] area information in relation to each other.

Claim 44. (Original) The camera control apparatus according to claim 43, further comprising an output device for outputting a command to shift the detection area and the position of the frame corresponding to the shifted detection area in response to user instructions.

Claim 45. (Original) The camera control apparatus according to claim 43, further comprising a display control unit for controlling to display the image in which the frame is superimposed on the sensed image.

Claim 46. (Original) The camera control apparatus according to claim 43, wherein the parameter is used for automatically adjusting at least one of a focal point and an exposure, based on the image signal of the detection area.

Claim 47. (Original) The camera control apparatus according to claim 43, wherein said camera control apparatus has the storage device and is connected to the camera apparatus via predetermined communication medium.

Claims 48-61. (Canceled).

Claim 62. (New) The control method according to claim 33, wherein the detection area information is at least one of a size and a shape of the detection area.

Claim 63. (New) The computer readable medium according to claim 38, wherein the detection area information is at least one of a size and a shape of the detection area.

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Claim 64. (New) The camera control apparatus according to claim 43, wherein the detection area information is at least one of a size and a shape of the detection area.